

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

2 Northern District of California

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4 HPG CORPORATION, ET AL.

5 Plaintiff(s),

No. C 10-00985 MEJ

6 v.

7 COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, ET AL.

8 Defendant(s).

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10 **ORDER DIRECTING DEFENDANT
11 TO FILE CONSENT/DECLINATION
12 FORM**

13 Pending before the Court is Defendant JPMorgan Chase Bank's counsel's pro hac vice
14 applications. Upon review of the record in this action, the Court notes that JPMorgan has not filed a
15 written consent to Magistrate Judge James' jurisdiction. This civil case was randomly assigned to
16 Magistrate Judge James for all purposes including trial. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), the
17 magistrate judges of this district court are designated to conduct any and all proceedings in a civil
18 case, including trial and entry of final judgment, upon the consent of the parties. An appeal from a
19 judgment entered by Magistrate Judge James may be taken directly to the United States Court of
20 Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any other judgment of a district
21 court.

22 You have the right to have your case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and
23 disposition. Accordingly, JPMorgan shall inform the Court whether it consents to Magistrate Judge
24 James' jurisdiction or requests reassignment to a United States District Judge for trial. A copy of
25 both the consent and declination forms may be obtained from the Northern District of California's
26 website at <http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/>. From the homepage, click on the "Forms" tab on the left
27 margin, then choose "Civil." The consent/declination form shall be filed by August 16, 2010.

28 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

29 Dated: August 2, 2010

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31 Maria-Elena James
32 Chief United States Magistrate Judge